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Jottings from . . .

## Jo's Notebook

I have had so many nice telephone conversations with lovely Regina Pryor, who was selected here on April 26th to officially represent Kentucky in the Miss USA-Miss Universe competition to be held in Miami beginning May 16, and ending with a national broadcast on CBS-TV on Saturday night, May 24.

Among the most interesting matters we have discussed relative to her trip to Florida is the fact that she must have, as part of her wardrobe, a costume that is indicative of the industry and culture of our Kentucky. I suggested that she think about an ante-bellum costume such as the ones worn by the hostesses at My Old Kentucky Home or a Colonel's uniform, or something else reminiscent of the blue-grass state.

But as I found out soon after Regina was selected as the winner, this gal is a rare combination of beauty and brains.

Do you know what that young beauty did?

Through friends she got in touch with Manuel Ycaza, a well known jockey in the thoroughbred arena and asked to borrow the jockey outfit that Manuel wore in this year's Kentucky Derby. Regina said that Manuel rode Top Knight in the Derby, but I got so excited about her initiative I didn't ask how the horse came out in the race.

Ycaza did win "the big one" in the Florida Derby or whatever it is, so even before she gets down there she'll be having reporters and photographers interview her if for no other reason than to write the story of her unusual state apparel.

Regina's picture appeared in the Courier-Journal this week on the front page of the second section. The cutlines said she was selected at Fulton, Ky. The photo was sent over the wire services with the same information. I'm just wondering how else we could have received such nation-wide publicity if we hadn't taken the time and effort to stage the pageant here.

Speaking of national publicity! Did any of you by chance see a CBS report Tuesday night entitled "Good News Report?"

It's an interesting program devoted to telling the good news around this world and the first item on the program was about the great effort expended by Martin, Tenn. to build its library. The second was a story about Berea, Ky.

So the first thing I did on Wednesday when I got to the office was to write CBS and tell them about our Banana Festival.

Why don't you drop them a line too! Who knows we might get them down here to take a look-see at this year's event.

### Commercial Ave. Alive!

Commercial Avenue is coming alive again! The handsome, new office building, remodeled and redecorated to house the law offices of Joe W. Johnson, has also been partitioned for other professional offices.

In addition to having Joe as our neighbor, we now have Dolly Morgan and her Fulton Credit Bureau and Ray Williams and his State Farm Insurance Office. The Johnson building was formerly Steele's Upholstery Shop.

The building once occupied by the Chamber of Commerce now houses the Fulton Air Conditioning and Heating Company with some nice folks like Gerald Powell and Hollis Hickerson in command of the services and the General Electric Products.

Farrah Graddy, takes care of the office for them and with our soft drink box in the office we have the pleasure of seeing all of them almost every day.

Across the street Ernest Khourie has rented the former Banana Festival headquarters for the display of his fabulous Oriental rugs inventory, which makes for some nice camaraderie "On The Street Where We Work."

### Old-Timers Add Partner!

The old-timers like Charlie Burrow and Mr. Willey and Ann and Bill Gore have been joined by Roy Taylor, now associated with Charlie and Mary Hughes Burrow.

And oh dear, I almost forgot (big joke) we have some awfully nice neighbors here at the News office. A nice young couple by the name of Mike and Mary Jo Butts have an apartment on the second floor of the News building and they have the cutest little ole fat baby boy that drops in to see us almost every afternoon.

The little fellow certainly has an interesting

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## We Tell It Like It Is

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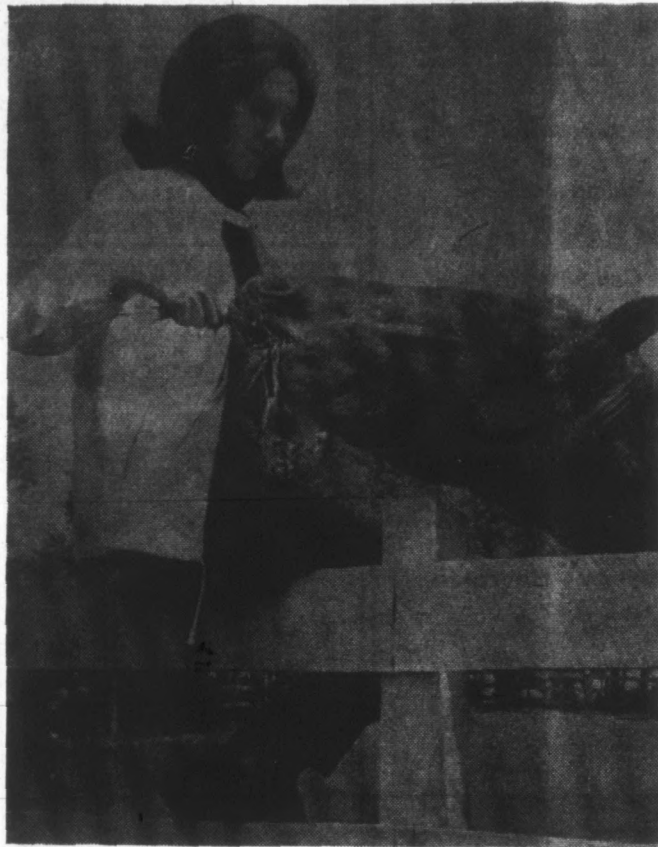
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### 'Miss U. S. A.' Contestant

THERE'S PLENTY of green grass around, but it must taste better when Kentucky's entrant in the Miss U. S. A. contest is doing the feeding. Miss Regina Pryor, a Murray State University junior from Leitchfield, will appear in the Miami contest later this month. She was chosen in a contest at Fulton.

### Something New In Rummage Sales To Be Saturday

The Cumberland Presbyterian Youth Fellowship of the Fulton Church will sponsor a "trash to treasure" sale on Saturday, May 10, in the old Sam's Barber Shop on State Line, next to McKinney's Grocery. The doors will open at eight o'clock.

There will be some antiques for sale, also drapes, curtains, miscellaneous items and clothing, including children's clothes. Just name it and they will have it and you may find a treasure.

The sale is being held to pay expenses of a trip by the CPYF to Oklahoma for a week's work with the Choctaw Indians. The group will leave Fulton on June 21 and return on June 29.

### SBA Office Is Open In Paducah, May 15

Small Business Administration business loans have helped thousands of small firms get started, expand, grow and prosper as stated by C. R. Wagoner, Acting SBA Regional Director.

In its continued effort to serve the citizens of Paducah and surrounding area, an SBA representative will be at that Agency's part-time office in the City Hall on the second floor, Paducah, Kentucky, on Thursday, May 15. The office will be open from 9:00 a. m. until 3:00 p. m.

### LAST DAY FOR ABSENTEE!

Today, Thursday, May 8, is the last day to apply for absentee ballots for voting in the May 27 Democratic primary.

### Jones Sale Is On Saturday; We Goofed!

So it's understandable, but not easily excusable.

Monday was an unusually hot day. The air conditioners weren't working, and the hot doldrums of mid-summer seemed to prevail at the News office.

Bill Gray called us to put an ad in the Shopper for an auction sale to be held this Saturday, May 10, at the Jones Clinic at 218 Second Street.

Well, with the heat and all, the ad writer put the date of the sale as Saturday, August 10.

The weather outside was frightfully hot, but the ad-writer should keep his cool when an important event like the sale of all that office, hospital and other equipment is going to be auctioned off.

We goofed! We're sorry folks. Remember the sale is on Saturday, May 10, (this Saturday) at 10 A. M. at the Jones Clinic on Second Street. Be there, won't you, for our sake!

### RECEPTION FOR GRAVES!

Friends of Ralph Graves will have a reception and dance at the Hickman Moose Lodge Monday night, May 12, from 8 o'clock until midnight. Music will be furnished by The Classic Three. Mr. Graves is a candidate for State Representative. His wife, Linda, will also be on hand to greet friends and voters.

### A SWEETHEART!

Jan Curtis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Curtis, 307 Eddings Street in Fulton, was named Sweetheart of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity at the annual spring formal at the University of Tennessee, Martin, on May 3.

## Farm Friend, Neighbor For 40 Years, Swift And Company Closing May 24th

by Jo Westpheling

A 40-year old friend, neighbor and financial benefactor to the economy of the farmer and the business community in the area, is closing its doors on May 24.

Swift and Company, the local industry that has employed as many as 75 to 100 persons in its peak production period announced today that the remaining phase of its manufacturing activity in Fulton will be discontinued, the machinery dismantled and deployed elsewhere, and eight employees released. The shut-down will mean the loss of approximately \$55,000 to \$60,000 in annual payroll.

While no official announcement was made by the official family of the Chicago-based company, it is believed that the Swift building on East State Line will be put up either for lease or for sale.

Discontinuance of cheese manufacture here, the last of the once diversified production at the local plant, is strongly indicative of the fast changing pattern of farm practices in the area and the Nation.

In the by-gone days of the late twenties, when the agricultural economy depended largely on farm to market transactions, the Swift plant was the focal point for sale of farm products.

Chickens, eggs, milk, even animal hides were purchased by the local Swift plant. The chickens were processed and sent to markets all over the Nation; the eggs were crated and boxed and shipped to consumer points from coast to coast; the milk was made into butter and ice cream and carefully packaged to find brisk sales every-

where under the nationally-respected Swift label.

And the animal hides, found lucrative markets among discriminating furriers.

But gradually a changing pattern of operation emerged from the agrarian life of these United States. The lean days of the depression in the thirties, blended into an economic boom in the forties, resulting in the high cost of farm equipment and the exodus of farm labor to the cities, and the gradual extinction of the small farmer who depended on the yields from his acres to make a living.

Today, the small farmer who survived government regulations and acreage allotments, has expanded his operations to accommo-

date the demands of the consumer market.

"Nine out of ten of the farmers who once supplied us with milk have reduced their herds to accommodate their personal needs," James Browder, local plant manager told the News on Wednesday. "However, other suppliers have increased their operations to adequately supply our needs," he said.

Mr. Browder made it clear that the producers who have been supplying the local plant will see no curtailment of their sales to Swift and Company.

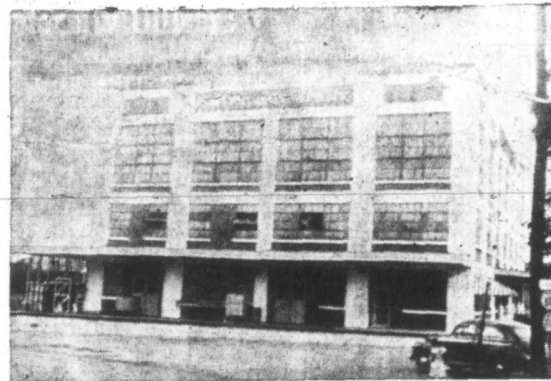
"We will continue to buy as much surplus milk as in the past," Mr. Browder said, "for shipment to our other plants."

While the manufacture of cheese will be discontinued here, the ice cream distribution plant near the old Colp Wholesale Building will remain in operation with a staff of about eight persons.

The stark facts of expenses overshadowing a profitable operation was explained as a reason for the shut-down of the plant. "With periodic transfers of local production it was a matter of having the same expenses, but a reduction of the sales revenue," a spokesman said.

It was in 1950 that chicken processing was discontinued here; in 1957 the plant stopped making butter; in 1958 the ice cream operation was transferred to Glasgow, with only the manufacture of cheddar cheese remaining as the sole production here.

The Swift plant here opened during 1929. Brown Thacker, a long-time plant manager retired several years ago, but still lives in Fulton. Bill McCarthy, who succeeded Mr. Thacker was transferred late last summer to Oklahoma. Jim McCarthy, who will graduate from Fulton High this month remained in Fulton to finish his school year. He has been residing with the John Sullivan family.



This is the Swift Plant, long a focal plant for farm-to-market trading. It will close its doors after 40 years on May 24.

### Purchase EDA Office Plan Of Mayfield Meeting

Interested citizens and public and state officials will meet at 7:00 p. m., Thursday, May 8 in Mayfield to discuss the formation of a Purchase Development District.

Thursday's meeting has been planned as a dinner meeting at the Holiday Inn in Mayfield.

County judges, mayors and other interested citizens have been invited according to Woodrow Coots, University of Kentucky Area Extension Resource Development Specialist, Paducah.

Speakers who will explain the procedures for setting up a district in the eight Purchase counties include: Jack White, Economic Development Administration, Washington, D. C.; John L. Frailey, Economic Development Administration, Huntington, West Virginia; William G. Glasscock, Economic Development Administration, Hopkinsville, Kentucky and Joe Gray, Program Development Office, Frankfort.

The purpose of a development district is to have a funded and staffed local organization which can take full advantage of federal funds to foster economic growth on a multi-county basis. The district would be a method of coordinating development efforts.

## Business Agency Lists 280 Firms In County

Dun & Bradstreet Inc., international business information agency now marking its 127th year, has released latest statistics on the business population of Fulton County. James W. Hill, III, District Manager of

the Louisville, Kentucky office of Dun & Bradstreet, reports that figures obtained by a physical count of the Dun & Bradstreet Reference Book for January 1969 show there are 280 retailers, wholesalers and manufacturers locally.

A count of some of the larger cities showed Louisville 6683, Lexington 2334, Bowling Green 763, Owensboro 909, Paducah 939, Evansville, Indiana 2236, Jeffersonville 544, New Albany 633 and Vincennes, Indiana 526. Mr. Hill noted that this month requests were sent to almost three million businesses listed in the Reference Book.

The Dun & Bradstreet Reference Book lists those manufacturers,

wholesalers and retailers who seek or grant commercial credit, but it does not include some of the service and professional businesses, such as beauty and barber shops, security dealers and real estate brokers. Therefore, the figures for total business in the United States would be higher than the three million quoted above.

Because of the constant flux in

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## New Madrid Earthquake Rang Church Bells In Boston

The New Madrid Earthquake of 1811, which created Reelfoot Lake, caused six-foot waterfalls in the Mississippi River and rang the church bells in Boston, was recalled last week in a speech by Dr. Kenneth Bordeau, assistant professor of physical sciences at The University of Tennessee at Martin.

In a lecture on earthquakes sponsored by Pi Sigma Phi, UTM Honor society, Dr. Bordeau said the New Madrid quake was the most severe ever recorded on the North American continent.

Warning shocks occurred before the three main shocks on December 16, 1811, January 28 and February 7, 1812, and after-shocks occurred for a year. The quake covered one million square miles, cracking plaster in Virginia and sending shock waves along the eastern seaboard.

"The New Madrid Earthquake was unusual because of its great intensity, location, and effect upon changing the topography of the land," Dr. Bordeau said.

The area affected by the New

Madrid quake was not above the volcanic belts where major earthquakes usually occur. The only major belt passing through the United States is the Circum-Pacific, which runs from the Andes in South America, along the Pacific coast of the U. S. and across the Aleutian Islands through Japan and the Philippines.

"This belt is called the belt of fire and is an active belt of continuing mountain building," UTM geology professor said. "Volcanos

and earthquakes are symptoms of mountain building forces under the earth. Probably all mountain ranges were formed by quake activity."

When an earthquake occurs, the focal point may be as shallow as five to 40 miles, and the deepest break ever recorded was 435 miles below the surface, he said.

Surface waves which bring damping and death follow almost instantly after the break takes place

in the crust of the earth, so the only warning is the minor shocks which may precede a major disturbance and be picked up by seismograph stations located around the world.

"Earthquake prediction may be possible in the future, but we don't have enough data at present to set up a reliable system. We don't know how much stress would have to build up to cause an earthquake," Dr. Bordeau concluded.



# EDITORIALS

THE FULTON COUNTY NEWS  
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PAUL and JOHANNA M. WESTPHELING  
Editors and Publishers

"were it left to me to decide whether we should have a government without newspapers, or newspapers without a government, I should not hesitate to prefer the latter."  
—THOMAS JEFFERSON

## Does The Ineffective Coordination Of Law Enforcement Agencies Contribute To Crime

It looks very much like the twin cities are a target area for some heavy concentration of activity by an apparent band, or bands, of professional robbers.

The bold attempt to crack the safe at the E. W. James Super Market a couple of weeks ago appeared to be the work of some "apprentice" professionals who gained entrance to the building from the roof. We'd say this could not have been done very quickly, yet apparently not easy to detect in the dark of night.

The same thinking would apply to the successful robbery at A & P Food Store last Saturday when a quantity of cigarettes was stolen and carried away in huge bathroom tissue boxes, which were emptied on the floor of the store for the robbers to carry out their more valuable loot. The robbery was brazenly executed by gaining entrance through the front door, something else that could not have been done quickly, but a little easier to detect than the entrance gained by the robbers at E. W. James and Sons.

Which brings us to the matter that has been a source of much concern to us for a very, very long time.

Do we have too much police protection in these twin cities and twin counties (Fulton and Obion), with too little coordination between the various agencies, or are our various forces too inadequate to meet the spiraling incidents of crime in our States and our Nation?

Have you ever stopped to think how many different law enforcement agencies there are in these two counties. It's fantastic!

There are two sheriff's offices, one in Fulton and one in Obion County that serve Fulton and South Fulton; two city police departments, one in Fulton and one in South Fulton; the State police of Kentucky and Tennessee also serve the two municipalities; there are constables and magistrates policing their respective domains in the proximity of the twin cities; there are law enforcement officers for motor

transportation, alcoholic beverages (city and county), sanitation, dog wardens, game wardens, and others too numerous to delineate.

In regard to the effective coordination of duties assigned to our police officers it is noteworthy to recall two occasions within the past week when we had every reason to believe that either apathy, inefficiency, or sheer laziness on the part of two separate dispatchers prevented some police officers from discharging their assigned duties, as we are sure the officers would have if they had received the cooperation of their fellow law enforcement workers.

One particular incident is almost unbelievable. On trying to locate the sheriff, with no help at all from the dispatcher, we asked with some amusement mounting to irritation "What should we do if somebody was outside breaking the door down, and we wanted the police?"

Said he, and with not a word of exaggeration or humor, "Lady, I suppose you'd have to throw up your arms and scream."

He did not know the lady in distress; we did not know his identity, either, and it's just as well!

These incidents are not intended to cast aspersions on our police officers in the area. For the most part they are hard-working, diligent and conscientious.

At best their jobs are thankless, underestimated, and often subject to the hazards of political intrigue. They earn less than living wages, and subject their lives to the risks of hardened criminals, and good-for-nothing vagrants.

They play the role of Father Confessor, psychologist, psychiatrist and protectors of the common good.

They deserve our understanding and our cooperation.

They are not bestowed with the power of omnipresence; the least they can expect is the full cooperation of their fellow sufferers in the realm of police protection.

## We Heartily Agree With Editor Who Says People Could Care Less About State Jobs

When Louie B. Nunn became governor he found his administration saddled with hundreds of state employees covered by the state merit system. Most of these employees are Democrats and the Governor, a Republican, naturally wanted members of his own party in key county positions.

There were numerous firings and numerous appeals to the State Personnel Board. There appears little doubt that many of those fired by the present administration were fired without cause. Presumably Governor Nunn subscribes to the old Andrew Jackson theory which says — "to the victor belongs the spoils." There is nothing new about the Jackson thinking. Both Democrats and Republicans have practiced it for years.

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It just so happened that the Democrats, in power for many years at the state level, had the opportunity to load up state payrolls with their own people, and while this was going on they enacted merit system legislation to give them tenure. So when a Republican governor was elected most all of the spoils had been absorbed and none were left for the Republican faithful.

The irony of all the controversy between the fired Democrats and the Nunn administration is that in so far as the average voter is concerned nothing could be of less importance. Other than those personally affected the people just don't care who has what state job and for what reason. Most people will agree that there are too many state jobs. Many would hail a sharp cutback, but other than this they are neither heated nor interested in the controversy.

—Union County Advocate

(Ed's Note: We concur.)

STERLING, ILL., GAZETTE:  
"Our democratic system does indeed seek to safeguard and dignify the individual, but its protections are in no way intended to provide a shield for behavior which transgresses the law and tramples the rights of others."

## POET'S CORNER

### ART

The hen remarked to the mooley cow,  
As she cackled her daily lay,  
(That is, the hen cackled) "It's funny how  
I'm good for an egg a day.  
I'm a fool to do it, for what do I get?  
My food and my lodging. My!  
But the poodle gets that - he's the household pet,  
And he never has laid a single egg yet -  
Not even when eggs are high."

The mooley cow remarked to the hen,  
As she masticated her cud,  
(That is, the cow did) "Well, what then?  
You quit, and you name is mud.  
I'm good for eight gallons of milk each day,  
And I'm given my stable and grub;  
But the parrot gets that much, anyway -  
All she can gobble - and what does she pay?  
Not a dribble of milk, the dub!"

But the hired man remarked to the pair,  
"You get all that's coming to you.  
The poodle does tricks, and the parrot can swear,  
Which is better than you can do.  
You're necessary, but what's the use  
Of bewailing you daily pair?  
You're bourgeois - working's your only excuse;  
You can't do nothing but just produce -  
What them fellers does is ART!"

—Author Unknown

### FULTON'S

## Library Corner

By Brenda Rowlett

### ADULT BOOKS:

BELLWOOD, by Elizabeth Ogilvie. Twenty-three-year-old Caroline Brewster comes to a secluded estate on the Maine coast as companion to a five-year-old boy who is supposed to be retarded as well as crippled. Caro takes the job to help her forget a bitter experience and the longer she stays in the beautiful other-worldly surroundings of Bellwood the more deeply she falls in love with her employer, a man like no other she has known.

ENVIOUS CASCA, by George Heyer. This is a mystery story about the Christmas party that went wrong when the host was

found stabbed in a locked bedroom on Christmas Eve. Joseph, the only member of the Herriard clan who likes traditional celebrations, has prevailed on his crotchety older brother, Nathaniel, to gather the family together for the holiday weekend, then things happen.

RUN WHEN I SAY GO, by Hilary Waugh. It was a tough assignment for Private Detective Peter Congdon—protect and deliver the star witness in the Senate Mafia Investigation. It was bad enough that the Mafia was breathing down his neck. Worse still, the witness, ex-mistress of a key Mafia figure, was hiding out in Italy. To compli-

cate matters even more, the Senator heading the investigation is a political megalomaniac who is using the Mafia purge to keep himself in the nation's spotlight.

SEVEN SEATS TO THE MOON, by Charlotte Armstrong. Briefly hospitalized for a minor injury, J. Middleton Little overhears a strange and bewildering conversation between another patient and man visiting him. The two men refer cryptically to a world cataclysm, and there is talk of issuing survivors tickets to the moon. Later, realizing Little was privy to their conversation, the patient offers him "seven seats to the moon" if he will forget what he overheard.

### JUNIOR BOOKS:

THE DREAM TIME, by Henry Treece. It is the dawn of time, the very early morning of humanity, a kind of dream time when people are not used to being people at all, and everything is strange to them.

## Letters To Editor

PARTNERS OF THE ALLIANCE

May 2, 1969

Mrs. Paul Westpheling  
Fulton, Kentucky 42041

Dear Jo,

We had an extremely successful annual meeting of our Partners program and regret so much that you could not come.

The Ambassador from Guatemala, Francisco Linares-Aranda and the Ambassador to Guatemala from the United States, Nathaniel Davis were present and both made excellent presentations.

Have you set the time yet of the Banana Festival? We are hopeful that you will be able to arrange to let the Marimba Band play at some of the Alabama schools on their way back to New Orleans.

Please let me hear from you when you have the dates set so that we can work this out.

Sincerely,  
Arthur Tonsmeire, Jr.

Tuesday, April 29

Dear Jo:

I just wanted to write a note and say how much I enjoyed "the pageant." I can truly say that I had more fun being in it than any before. For some reason, all the girls seemed so relaxed and we just really had fun. I hope you will take it again next year, because you did such a good job this time. I sure wish my parents could have seen it.

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Crookieg is a member of a tribe whose way of life includes incessant warfare and cruel sacrifices to unknown gods. His reluctance to be warman and his mysterious gift for drawing lifelike figures set him apart. His dream of living and working in peace leads him far from his birthplace.

MYSTERY AT SAINT-HILAIRE, by Priscilla Hagon. Saint-Hilaire is a little island off the coast of Brittany, dominated by a crumbling medieval castle—an island no tourist has heard of. An unfinished letter tucked away in a book leads Gwenda, an English girl working in Paris, to the island and to an astonishing chain of adventures there. The letter amounts to a plea for help, and Gwenda is determined to find its writer, so she accepts the post of governess to the little girl who lives in the castle.

THE VANISHED JET, by James Blish. Many people were distressed (Continued on Page Seven)



MAY 6, 1949

Rural mail carriers in the nation will be honored this week, with a special tribute being paid to the faithful postal carriers. Among them are five local men, as follows: Cecil Weatherspoon, Route 1; Robert J. Lamb, Route 2; W. E. Flippo, Route 3; B. O. Copeland, Route 4, and Wilburn Holloway, Route 5.

A king and a princess, between the ages of six and ten, will be elected to rule over the Boy Scouts activities on Circus Day, June 2. Mrs. Roy Hamby, general chairman of a committee appointed by the Junior Woman's Club to sponsor the event, announced today. Mrs. Hamby said at press time that a number of parents have already entered children to participate in the revue.

At Humboldt today, vivacious Joan Smith, 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith of South Fulton, is representing South Fulton in the beauty revue being held there in connection with the Strawberry Festival. Her attendants will be Miss Ann Roper, 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Roper, and Miss Bessie Roach, 16-year-old daughter of Mrs. Grace Roach.

The Fulton Band won first prize in the band competition at the Humboldt Strawberry Festival yesterday, the News learned at press time.

Wednesday morning the sun came out, Wednesday night the crowds came out to Fairfield Park to open the 1949 Kitty League season, with the Railroaders battling out a 6 to 10 score against their old rival the Union City Greyhounds. More than 1100 fans attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Ward have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Vada Belle to Carl (Sonny) Puckett, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Puckett, Sr., of the Union City Highway. The wedding will be solemnized in June. Miss Ward is an

honor graduate of South Fulton High School and is now studying art and commerce at Murray State College. Mr. Puckett is a graduate of Fulton High School. During World War II he served three years in the Navy. He is now in business with his father.

The First Methodist Church was the scene of a lovely wedding Saturday morning, April 30, when Martha Eunice Moore, daughter of Mrs. Hoyt Moore and the late Mr. Moore, became the bride of Thomas Fields Mahan, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Mahan and the late Mr. Mahan. Rev. W. E. Mischke performed the impressive double ring ceremony. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Jack H. Moore. Helen King, of Fulton and Bowling Green, was maid of honor and Bill Allen, of Clinton, served as best man. Ushers were Richard Cummings and Felix Gossum. Following the reception, held in the home of the bride's mother, the couple left for a wedding trip, after which they will make their home in Fulton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bushart gave the opening baseball game a gay note, when they entertained fifty persons at a delicious steak dinner at The Derby Wednesday night preceding the game. The popular assemblage of Fulton's social smart set attended the baseball game en masse after the delicious repast.

Mrs. Hal Seawright and little son left Thursday for Greenville, Miss., where they will join Mr. Seawright and make their home.

Palestine: Mrs. Roy Bard honored her husband Sunday with a surprise birthday dinner. Gathered at the home after church were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bard, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Bard, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Bard, Mr. and Mrs. Glyn Bard, Mr. and Mrs. Hampton Brown and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hewitt, Jimmie Wallace, Mrs. A. M. Browder and Mrs. Leslie Nugent.

Latham: Mrs. Mignone Morrison and Mrs. Laverne Winstead took the children of Bible Union School to the show in Fulton last Monday to see "Little Women."

Dukedom, Route 2: A housekeeping shower was given in the home of Mrs. Luke Fulcher last week in honor of Miss Ida Taylor, bride-elect of James H. McMillen.

Miss Juanita Davidson and Buster Walters were married last Saturday afternoon in Fulton.



# SOCIETY - WOMAN'S INTEREST

## Miss Phyllis Gail Crocker Makes Known Her Wedding Plans Today

Miss Phyllis Gail Crocker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Velmer Crocker, is today revealing the completed plans for her marriage to James Terry Willingham, son of Mrs. James Allen Willingham and the late Mr. Willingham.

The double ring ceremony will be solemnized at the First Baptist Church on Saturday, May 24, 1969 at two o'clock in the afternoon.

The Reverend John Laida of Clarksville, Tennessee, close friend of the groom's family will officiate after a program of nuptial music by Mrs. John McKendree, organist.

The bride will be given in marriage by her father. She has chosen her sister, Mrs. Riley Tate as matron of honor.

Bridesmaids will be Miss Carol Luther, Mrs. Lynn Jetton and Miss Sadie Briggs of Clinton, Kentucky.

Charles Edward Willingham of Memphis, Tennessee will serve his brother as best man.

Groomsmen and ushers will be, Richard Gerish, cousin of the groom, Stuart Voelpel, Charles Allen, Ronald Wall, Wayne Doane of Paducah, Kentucky and Michael Tate and Edward Crocker of Milan, Tennessee nephews of the bride.

Mrs. Phillip Putnam will preside at the guest register.

No formal invitations are being sent locally but all friends and relatives are invited.

## Miss Carol Dixon Is Married To Mr. Heath In Quiet Ceremony

The sanctuary of the First United Methodist Church in Fulton was the setting for the wedding of Miss Carol Dixon and Mr. Larry Heath, on May first at three-thirty o'clock in the afternoon.

The double ring ceremony was performed by Rev. George Comes, pastor of the church, in the presence of the immediate families. The only attendants were Mrs. Billy Williams and Michael Webb.

The lovely bride wore a gown of white lace over satin, made on the empire line and caught at the waist with satin streamers, and a matching headpiece. Her flowers were clusters of candytuft in net, with lace streamers.

Following a trip through the south, the couple is now in their home on Broadway.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Charles E. Dixon of South Fulton and the late Mr. Dixon. She is employed by the Fulton Bank.

Mr. Heath is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Heath, Sr., of South Fulton and is presently a junior at the University of Tennessee at Martin.



Mr. and Mrs. Heath



Miss Lattus

## Plans For A June Wedding Made Known Today By Barbara Lattus

Plans for a June 7th wedding in the Sacred Heart Catholic Church at Hickman are being made by Miss Barbara Jane Lattus and David Lee Parker. The couple's engagement is announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh L. Lattus of Hickman. Parents of the bridegroom-to-be are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parker, Sr. of Hickman.

Miss Lattus, a graduate of Fulton County High School, was enrolled in a Student-Exchange program with the University of Louisville and attended the University of Montpelier, Montpelier, France. Her freshman year was spent at Marian College, Indianapolis, Ind. She received a B. A. degree from Murray State University where her sorority was Alpha Omicron Pi of which she served as recording secretary her junior year. At present she is affiliated with the Fulton County School System.

The bride-elect is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Burcham, Sr. of Woodland Mills and of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lattus of Hickman.

Mr. Parker graduated from Fulton County High School and is a senior at Murray State University. He is the grandson of Mrs. Joe Parker, Sr. of Hickman and the late Mr. Parker, and of Mrs. S. B. Copeland of Steele, Missouri, and the late Mr. Copeland.

## Evening Of Music Is Rewarding Event For Appreciative Audience

The Music Department of the Fulton's Woman's Club presented the annual Evening of Music at the club home on Monday evening, May 5, at 8 o'clock.

The audience of music lovers was rewarded with a program appealing to a variety of interests. Mrs. Robert Baar and Mrs. George Comes displayed an excellent blending of voices in the vocal duet "Waited for the Lord" by Mendelssohn. Another most professional performance was the vocal duet "Spring Wind" by Eric Thiman sung by Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grant.

Miss Marilyn McKendree played the Chopin Valse in B Minor, Op. 69, No. 2 with true Chopin ribato. A clarinet quartet "Appalachian Dance" by Richard Walker lent variety to the program. Members of the quartet were Doris Bolin, Jenni Giles, Allyson Miller, and Tommy Taylor.

A very interesting number with various familiar airs breaking through was the "Concerto Americana" by Kasschan with Cathy Hyland and Nan Myers at the two pianos.

A male quartet composed of J. C. Sugg, Vyron Mitchell, James Warren, and Allen McKendree sang the familiar and ever-popular "Greensleeves."

The program was climaxed with

three numbers presented by the Union City Civic Chorus: Camelot by Lerner-Loewe, Dis Train by Hairston, and Our Heritage by Steele. This group sang with the zest and vim demanded by these numbers and was extremely well received by the audience.

Accompanists for the various numbers were Mrs. Lawrence Clark, Mrs. Joe Grant, Miss Nancy Hughes, and Mrs. Ada Burns.

Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Ron Laird, Mrs. J. U. McKendree, Mrs. Sue Hurt, and Mrs. Tillman Adams.

## Fonda Adams Pledges Alpha Lambda Delta

Fonda Adams of Hickman has pledged Alpha Lambda Delta, national freshmen women's honorary fraternity, at Murray State University.

Miss Adams is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Adams of Route 4. She is a freshman home economics major.

Forty other coeds have pledged Alpha Lambda Delta after qualifying with a 3.5 or better average. They will be initiated at the initiation banquet May 18.

## Dr. Woodward Will Present Faculty Recital

Dr. James Woodward, professor of theory, piano and composition at Murray State University, will present a faculty piano recital Saturday, May 12, in the Recital Hall of the Price Doyle Fine Arts Building, beginning at 8 p. m.

Dr. Woodward will play Debussy's "Children's Corner," Beethoven's "Sonata in E Major, Opus 109," Chopin's "Barcarolle, Opus 60" and Griffes' "Sonata".

Dr. Woodward has been a member of the music faculty at Murray State since 1965. He holds a bachelor of arts degree from the University of North Carolina; a bachelor of science degree from the Julliard School of Music, and received his master and doctoral degrees in music composition from Florida State University.

## Heart Clinic For Poor In Mayfield

A one-day consultative and diagnostic heart clinic for medically indigent children will be held in the FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 9th and Broadway, Mayfield, on Friday, May 23. This clinic will serve patients from Ballard, Calloway, Carlisle, Fulton, Graves, Hickman, Livingston, Marshall and McCracken Counties.

Dr. Kareem Minhas, Director of the Kentucky Children's Heart Clinic, Children's Hospital, Louisville, and other physicians from the University of Louisville School of Medicine, will conduct the clinic.

## Hamilton, Armstrong Fraternity Officers

Henry Armstrong of Fulton and Mike Hamilton of South Fulton have been elected officers of Alpha Phi Alpha fraternity at Murray State University.

Armstrong, newly elected treasurer, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Armstrong of 311 Anderson Street. He is a sophomore industrial arts major with a minor in math.

Serving as secretary will be Hamilton, a senior majoring in physical education and sociology. He is the son of Mrs. Ethel Featherstone of 209 Craig.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY

The News takes pleasure in wishing "Happy Birthday" to the following friends:

May 9: Gary Cathey, Umphrey McKendree; May 10: J. T. Brockwell, Jimmette Gilbert, Carl Wilson; May 11: Dr. D. L. Jones;

May 12: Mrs. Henry Bethel, Mrs. D. D. Legg; May 13: Keith Counce, Mrs. Kenneth Turner; May 15: Mrs. W. C. Jacob, William Scott; May 16: Ronnie Fields, Janice Holman.

## Miss Carolyn Colley Engaged To Mr. Edwin Leon Grogan, II

Mr. and Mrs. John Colley, Route 5, Fulton, Kentucky, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Carolyn Jean Colley, to Mr. Edwin Leon Grogan, II, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Grogan, Route 5, Murray, Kentucky.

Miss Colley graduated from South Fulton High School and received a B. S. degree from David Lipscomb College, where she served as secretary of the Student Body, was a member of the Student Council and was elected to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities. She is presently teaching at East Junior High School in Nashville, Tennessee.

Mr. Grogan graduated from Murray High School and received a B. A. degree from Murray State University. At Murray State he was a member of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity, served on the student government for four years, was elected to Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities, and graduated cum laude. He is presently in his second year at Vander-

bilt School of Medicine. The bride-elect's maternal grandparents are Mrs. Ewell Oliver and the late Mr. Oliver of Dresden, Tennessee. Her paternal grandparents are Mrs. Lula Colley and the late Almus Colley of Fulton.

Mr. Grogan's maternal grandparents are Mrs. Dellon Golden Childress and the late Mr. Childress of Kevil, Kentucky, and his paternal grandparents are Mr. Bob Dick Grogan and the late Mrs. Grogan of Murray, Kentucky.

The wedding will be solemnized on July 19 at two o'clock in the afternoon in the Oak Grove Church of Christ.

All friends of the couple are invited.



Miss Colley

## CALENDAR MARRIAGE

## FATHER'S TITLE

"So your married life is very unhappy. What's the trouble, December married to May?" "Heavens, no. It's Labor Day married to the Day of Rest."

"Father, what is an empty title?" "An empty title is your mother's way of calling me the head of the house."



De De Murphy (r.) of Fresno, California, is given a tour of the Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity exhibit at The University of Tennessee at Martin University Center by (l. to r.) Ricky Bowden of Dukedom, Lyn Scott of Selmer and Joe Berryman of 616 Oak Grove, Memphis. All social fraternities and sororities at UTM had exhibits on display as part of "Appreciate UTM Week," April 14-18.



## Deaths

## James D. Gore

Funeral services for James D. Gore were held last Friday, May 2, in Hopkins and Brown Funeral Home at Clinton, with Rev. L. L. Jones and Rev. J. W. Darby officiating. Burial was in Mt. Moriah Cemetery.

Mr. Gore, 69, a farmer of Route 1, Clinton, died suddenly at his home on Wednesday, April 31.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ruth Gore; one son, Larry Gore, and two sisters, Miss Jessie Gore and Miss Ruby Gore, all of Route 1, Clinton.

## Mrs. Leona Boaz

Funeral services for Mrs. Leona Boaz were held in Hornbeak Funeral Home chapel on Wednesday, May 7, with Rev. W. W. Kitterman and Rev. George Comes officiating. Burial was in Bethlehem Cemetery, near Pilot Oak.

Mrs. Boaz, 86, died in Haws Memorial Nursing Home, where she had been a patient for fifteen months, Monday, May 5, following a long illness.

She was born in Hickman County, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Otha Cooley. She was first married to Uriah Yates, who died in 1928, and later married Ed Boaz, who died in 1949. She lived in Graves County most of her life, moving to Fulton in 1950. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Alma Martin of Fulton; one son, Arlie Yates of Chicago; one half-brother, Robert Cooley of Michigan; one half-sister, Mrs. Fred Hudson of Clinton, five grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren.

## Mrs. Odell Wells

Funeral services for Mrs. Odell Wells were held yesterday, May 7, in Hornbeak Funeral Home chapel, with Rev. Keith L. Smith officiating. Burial was in Obion County Memorial Gardens.

Mrs. Wells, 68, died on Monday, May 5, in the Fulton Hospital, following an extended illness.

She was born in Obion County, the daughter of the late T. J. and Cordelia Myrick Hawks, and had lived in Fulton for the past seven years. She was the widow of J. R. Wells, who preceded her in death in 1967. She was a member of the Walnut Grove Methodist Church.

Surviving are two sons, James Wells of Wood River, Ill., and Harold J. Wells of Phoenix, Ariz.; five brothers, John Thomas Hawks and Walter Hawks of Fulton; Aubrey Hawks and Sam Hawks of Flint, Mich.; and Durwood Hawks of Orlando, Fla.; two sisters, Mrs. Jack Morris of Fulton and Mrs. H. W. Howard of Lone Oak.

## Mrs. Ida B. Johnson

Mrs. Ida B. Johnson died last Thursday, May 1, in the Fulton Hospital. Funeral services were held Saturday, May 3, in Hornbeak Funeral Home chapel, with Rev. George Comes officiating and burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Mrs. Johnson, 89, was born in Obion County, the daughter of the late Benjamin and Mary Crockett Conner. A long time resident of Fulton, residing on Thedford Street, she was the widow of Jesse M. Johnson, who preceded her in death in 1935. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Lela Lee of Fulton, Mrs. Lola Luther of Dyersburg and Mrs. Mary Fogt of San Diego, Calif.; one son, William Monroe (Dub) Johnson of Fulton; one brother, Isham Conner of Route 2, Fulton; one half-brother, A. C. Conner of Union City, eight grandchildren, thirteen great grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

## Kathy Jo Hawks

Kathy Jo Hawks, six-week-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hawks of Route 1, Fulton, died Friday, May 2, in Parkview Hospital at Dyersburg, Tenn.

Funeral services were held on Saturday, May 3, in Hornbeak Funeral Home, with Rev. George Comes officiating. Burial was in Obion County Memorial Gardens.

Surviving are her parents; one brother, Mike; maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Easley, West State Line, Fulton, and paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hawks, Fairview Avenue, Fulton.

## Mrs. Ruby Browder

Mrs. Ruby Ball Browder died Tuesday, May 6, in the Fulton Hospital, following a long illness.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 p. m. this (Thursday) afternoon in Hornbeak Funeral Home chapel, with Rev. Kimball Coburn officiating, and burial will be in Palestine Cemetery.

She was born in Dyer, Tenn., the daughter of the late Albert L. and Addie Gordon Ball, and was a member of the Dyer Methodist Church.

Surviving are one sister, Mrs. Grace Andrews, West State Line, Fulton; one brother, Ernest C. Ball of Memphis, and several nieces and nephews.



**DANVILLE CELEBRATES**—Gov. Louie B. Nunn, center, was speaker at a luncheon in Danville, part of a four-day celebration for the "All-America City". Donald Harkins, left, city prosecutor, and State Senator J. D. "Jiggs" Buckman, D-Shepherdsville, welcomed the governor who commended citizens for their local initiative and spirit in winning the award.

## DUKEDOM NEWS

Mrs. Hillman Westbrook

Good Springs CPW met at the church Thursday, with six members present. The program, "Family Life Among the Choctaws," was presented by Mary Bruce; Bible study, "Jesus and Women" by Mapelle Ainley. During the business meeting a Christian service project of sewing for the clothes bank at Fulton was planned, with Thursday afternoon, May 15, from 1 to 3, being set aside to cut the garments. This will be done at Good Springs, but other churches are invited to join in this work. Anyone who wants to come will be welcome. Bring scissors and slack pattern in sizes 6-12, the material on hand being suitable for slacks.

Our sick seem to be improving at present. Walter Williams still at Fulton Hospital, but some better; Maynard Weidenback out of the hospital today, planning to return to his work; Mrs. Lewis Cole improving and going for a check-up on Tuesday. Webb Brown is a patient in Fulton Hospital.

Jim Mathis, of Farmington, died suddenly at his home Saturday. He was an uncle of Mrs. Garrett Bailey. Funeral and burial will be at Farmington on Tuesday.

Word was received last week of the sudden death of Mack Bynum in Akron. He was formerly a resident of the Austin Springs community and a brother of the late Grant Bynum. Burial was in Akron.

The bookmobile made the regular visit to the Loan Oak library station at Mrs. Winnie Cunningham's. The number of books read since last trip was 197, and a number of new books were left for the readers of the community.

A family reunion was held at the farm of Mrs. Estella Wright Sunday, May 4, which was an annual affair during the life of Joe Westbrook, this being his birth date. Those present this year were: Mr. and Mrs. Bunes Westbrook and Sarah Wilkins, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wright of Mayfield, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. Chap Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Hillman Westbrook of Dukedom; Mrs. Estelle Wright, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dunlap and Freddie Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Peeler, Mr. and Mrs. Tiny Peeler and children of Dresden, and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Peeler and children of Martin.

## BIG OPERATION

"When you have your tonsils removed they call it a tonsilectomy. When they remove your appendix they call it an appendectomy. What do they call it when they remove a growth from your head?"

"I give up sonny. What do they call it when they remove a growth from your head?"

"A haircut."

## EXERCISE

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## HOSPITAL NEWS

The following were patients in Fulton hospitals on Wednesday, May 7:

## HILLVIEW HOSPITAL

Pat Wolff, Mrs. David Rose, Mrs. Tommie Pruett, Dianne Lynn, Mrs. Hattie Woods, Fulton; Mrs. Everett Williams, Mrs. Russell Boaz, Mrs. Robert Reese, Mrs. William Griffith, South Fulton; Elizabeth Mathis, Thomas McClain, Lynnville; Mrs. Leon Jones, Union City; William Farmer, Hickman; Mrs. J. C. Wilbur, Crutchfield; Billie Prince, Clinton; Mrs. Jimmie Bivens, John Powell Emerson, Wingo.

## FULTON HOSPITAL

Walter Williams, Coy Matheny, Howard Borsenberger, Henry Grisom, Sherry Moran, Debbie McClain, Mrs. Allie Murchison, Mrs. Hallie Hainline, Mrs. Nina Murchison, Ernest Lowe, James R. Pruett, Sr., Mrs. Fronia Giffin, Mrs. Mary Austin, Raymond Pewitt, Mrs. Florida Nanney, Mrs. Mattie Cook, Mrs. Margaret McVean, Miss Lillian Kennedy, Jeff Grissom, Mrs. Lucille Bard, Mrs. Mary Albright, Fulton; I. M. Jones, J. D. Burrow, John Farabough, Mrs. Ella Mizzell, Mrs. Barbara Fry and baby, Mrs. Hilda Wilson, South Fulton; Mrs. Cyrena Jewell, Mrs. Virginia Dowdy, Arthur Bugg, Clinton; H. B. Hubbard, Mrs. Louise McGinnis, Mrs. Charlotte Atwill, Mrs. Vergie Bynum, Walter Brown, Hickman; Mrs. Irene Bransford, Cayce; Mrs. Helen Tibbs, Webb Brown, Dukedom; Mrs. Katie Henry, Columbus; Mrs. Bessie Hedge, Dukedom; Mrs. Myrtle Fields, Wingo; Tom Rucker, Union City; Larry Powell, Crutchfield.

## — LATHAM

by Mrs. W. C. Morrison

Mrs. Joan Blackard Thomas, of Asheville, N. C., is recuperating at her home, following major surgery in St. Joseph Hospital at Asheville recently.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses Dorch last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Brundige and Mr. and Mrs. Edsel Bowlin.

Bonnie Cummings underwent minor surgery for a skin cancer last week at the Fulton Hospital.

Chess Morrison returned from the Fulton Hospital last Monday, after a week's stay there.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Reed moved into our community recently from Fulton to the Carlos Brundige farm.

Mrs. Jess Pate is recuperating at her home, following a week of hospitalization in the Volunteer Hospital at Martin and in the Jackson-Madison County Hospital at Jackson.

Dewey Barber is a patient in the Fulton Hospital.

Jeff Grissom is hospitalized in the Fulton Hospital.

Mrs. Doughty, the mother of Treal Doughty, who makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. Richard Haygood in Gardner, has been ill in the Fulton Hospital for several days. Three other daughters, from Chicago, have been attending her bedside.

## VETS AIDE COMING!

H. S. Miles, a Contact Representative of the Kentucky Disabled Ex-Service Men's Board will be present on May 16, 1969, at the Chamber of Commerce in Fulton, Ky., to assist veterans and their dependents with claims for benefits due them as a result of their military service. He will be present from 9:00 a. m. until 3:00 p. m.



TO TRAIN THE HANDICAPPED - Norman Sullivan, director of the new Opportunity Workshop at Paducah, demonstrates the use of one piece of equipment to be used in training handicapped people for employment. Looking on, from left, George E. Beiderwell, president of the board of managers of the West Kentucky Easter Seal Center for Handicapped Children and Adults, and Palmer Hughes, administrator of the center. Training programs are slated to begin in June.

## Quiet And Popular Pete Pitzer Victim Of Fatal Heart Attack

Pete M. Pitzer, owner of the Coca-Cola Bottling Company in Fulton, cattle raiser and holder of extensive farming interests, died about 9 p. m. Thursday, May 1, in Obion County General Hospital. He was 67.

Mr. Pitzer was looking over his farm Thursday afternoon and suffered an apparent heart attack about 7:30 p. m., shortly after arriving at his home at 216 North Home St. He was taken to the local hospital in a White-Ranson ambulance and died shortly thereafter.

Services were held at 2 p. m. Saturday, May 3, in the White-Ranson Funeral Home Memorial Chapel. The Rev. Scott Johnson, pastor of the Union City Cumberland Presbyterian Church, and the Rev. W. Fred Kendall II, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated. Burial was in East View Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Truman Bondurant, Edd Wells, E. D. White, Elwyn Oliver, Tom Elam, Leonard Todd, James Carl Hammonds and Johnny Key. Honorary pallbearers were employees of the Coca-Cola Bottling Company plant at Fulton.

Mr. Pitzer was born March 28, 1902 in Union City, son of the late George W. and Mrs. Lola Reed Pitzer. His father died in 1911 and his mother in 1956.

He attended Union City schools and, at the age of 17, became employed by the late Hugh Smith at the Union City Coca-Cola Bottling Company plant. He served as manager of the Union City plant until 1942 when he, Miss Kate Flack of Union City and R. E. Sanford purchased the plant at Fulton.

In 1955, Mr. Pitzer purchased the interests of Miss Flack and Mr. Sanford.

He was a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, a Mason and a Knight Templar. He also was a member of the Fulton Lions Club and the Young Men's Business Club of Fulton.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Martha Marie White Pitzer, to whom he was married in 1933; a daughter, Mrs. William J. "Billy" Harrison of Union City; two sisters, Mrs. Leonard Todd and Mrs. Herman Freeman, both of Union City, and five grandchildren, Claudia Marie Harrison, Carmen Patrice Harrison, Mary Elizabeth "Betty" Harrison, William Patrick Harrison and Thomas Pitzer Harrison, all of Union City.

## Donations Sought For Midway College

Mrs. R. G. White, Box 54, Hazel, Ky., has been appointed area chairman in Calloway, Carlisle, Fulton, Livingston, Marshall, and McCracken counties, in charge of donations and publicity for an auction to be held on the Midway Junior College campus on August 16, 1969.

The auction is sponsored by the chapel committee of the Midway-Pinkerton Alumnae Association. Midway Junior College is located in Woodford County, midway between Lexington and Frankfort in the small town of Midway. The purpose of the auction is to raise funds to build a chapel on campus.

## Let's Build Friendship Center Big Industry in '69



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## Large Contributions Push Everett Memorial Fund To \$13,000 Total

The major contributions last week have pushed the Robert A. "Fats" Everett Memorial Foundation campaign close to \$13,000, according to an announcement this week by Union City Mayor Charles M. "Red" Adams, president of the foundation.

The big checks came from the Lear Siegler Inc., Automotive Division plant in Union City, presented Mr. Adams by Ralph Floyd, plant manager, and from Brown Shoe Company of St. Louis, Mo., "in behalf of all Brown Shoe Company plants in West Tennessee."

The Brown Shoe check was presented to Mayor Adams by J. A. Williams, Brown Shoe general superintendent in St. Louis and Robert Woodward, superintendent of the Union City plant.

"Major donations from other Eight Congressional District industries also are expected within the next few weeks and the spirit displayed by Lear Siegler and Brown Shoe only demonstrates what most folks in West Tennessee know — Robert A. Everett, or 'Fats' as we all knew him, was one of the most

beloved men ever to have been nurtured by the soil of West Tennessee," Mayor Adams, a close personal friend of the late Congressman Everett, commented.

"Many of the good citizens of the 13 counties in the Eighth have been planning to donate to the memorial fund and we want to take this opportunity to ask them not to delay any longer," Mayor Adams said.

The Union City mayor said organizations have been set up in each county to give momentum to the campaign but added that residents not contacted locally may mail their donations to: Everett Memorial Foundation, Box 69, Union City, Tennessee, 38261.

"The Eighth District folks, whom 'Fats' served so well during his 11 years in Congress, are being asked to help in perpetuating his memory," Mayor Adams said.

The foundation, already chartered by the State of Tennessee, plans to erect a statue of Congressman Everett, probably on the front lawn of the courthouse in Union City, in his native Obion County. The foundation further plans to establish, in the name of the veteran legislator who died Jan. 26, one or more nursing scholarships at the University of Tennessee at Martin and general scholarships at Murray State University, the late congressman's alma mater.

"Fats" was a country boy and never attempted to be anything else. But he was the finest congressman the Eighth District ever had. He was truly a man of the people and for the people he represented. The goals of the foundation are modest, just as 'Fats' was, but success in its efforts will serve to perpetuate his memory for future generations," Mayor Adams said.

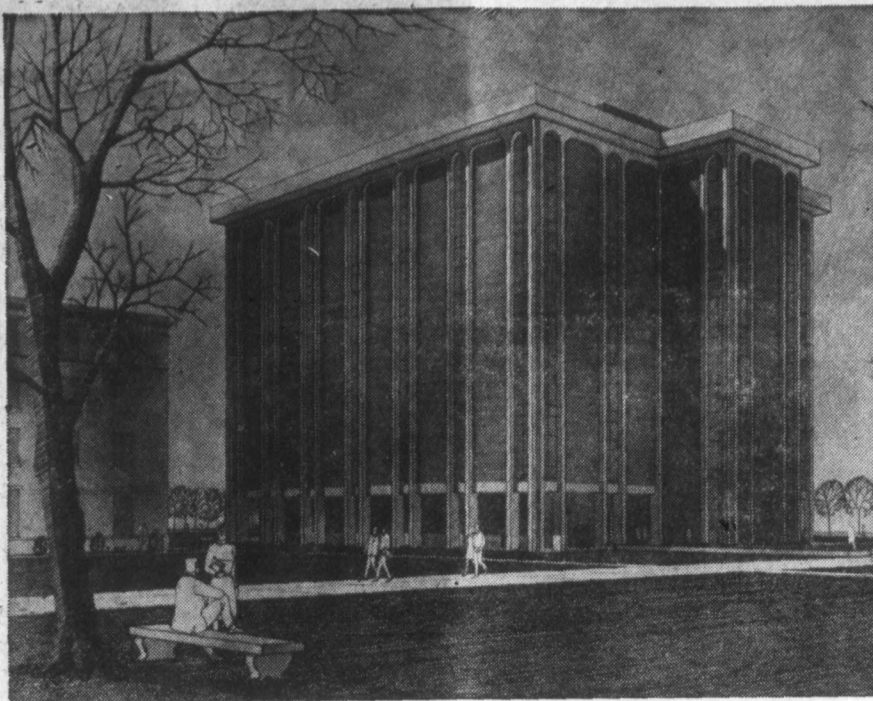
Every Tennessee who ever met and talked with 'Fats' — indeed, many thousands of people living outside the State of Tennessee — knows that 'Fats' was a friend to all. A donation to this foundation is an easy way to demonstrate to the world that we, too, were friends of his," Mayor Adams said.

### CHRIS IS CHI OMEGA!

Chris McKinney, daughter of James McKinney of Route 1, South Fulton, was initiated into Chi Omega Sorority at the University of Tennessee at Martin on April 13. Chris is a South Fulton High School graduate. She is a freshman at UT, majoring in math.

### QUIET AT LAST

Most college campuses are so crowded, if a student wants to be alone, he has to go to class. —Record, Columbia, S. C.



**MURRAY BUILDING CONTRACT LET**—This is an architect's drawing of the new classroom building at Murray State University, Murray, for construction of which Gov. Louie B. Nunn has announced the award of a \$2,336,000 contract to the White and Congleton Company, Lexington. The seven-story structure will contain 53 classrooms and 122 faculty offices with eight reception areas. Completion is expected by Oct. 28, 1970.

## Congressman Everett's Papers Presented To Murray Library

Personal papers and books of the late Robert A. (Fats) Everett, who represented the Eighth Congressional District of Tennessee for more than 10 years, have been presented to the library of Murray State University.

About 130 boxes containing the papers and books are stacked in a section of library storage. They will be released, for restricted use following a process of inventory and cataloging.

Everett, who died January 26 at the age of 53, graduated from Murray State in 1936 and was often called the university's best-known and most enthusiastic alumnus. His mother, Mrs. Lelia Everett, authorized the Murray State library as the depository for his papers following his death.

Charles Hinds, Murray State librarian, said the newly-acquired material will be analyzed and classified by the library's special collection section. Dr. Forrest C. Pogue, director of the George C. Marshall Foundation in Washington, D. C. and a long-time friend and former teacher of Everett, will assist with the processing.

"Congressman Everett's files will be a valuable asset to the library," Hinds noted, "particularly to the government documents section, which was created as an independent division of the library last September."

A huge man, standing 6-4 and weighing at times as much as 370 pounds, Everett was serving in his sixth term when he died. He had been in ill health for several years before his death at Veterans Hospital in Nashville.

Known by his outgoing and energetic personality, Everett seldom missed a homecoming event at Murray State. He served one year as president of the Murray State University Alumni Association.

His work in Congress included a particular dedication to watershed and flood control projects. He served on three major committees during his tenure in Congress—Public Works, Veterans Affairs and House Administration.

A campaign is now underway to establish a fund for a perpetual scholarship to his memory at Murray State.

## BUSINESS FIRMS

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the American business community, nearly 5,000 changes are now occurring daily in Reference Book data. Thus the multi-volume book must be re-issued every two months to keep up-to-date credit facts in the hands of manufacturers and wholesalers. The credit report which stands behind each entry in the Reference Book contains such information as the firm's current payment record, history, ownership, operation and financial stability.

When the owner or officer of a business enterprise, or his accountant, fills in and mails his financial statement to Dun & Bradstreet, it becomes part of the credit report on his business and a factor in determining the credit rating of his business. Mailing the statement, rather than waiting for the Dun & Bradstreet reporter's call, means a concern's important suppliers will quickly have the latest facts on which to make credit and sales decisions. When the Dun & Bradstreet reporter receives a businessman's financial statement in advance of his periodic call, he can make a more detailed analysis of the financial condition of the business and discuss its operation more intelligently.

While credit reports are primarily used by businessmen who want to evaluate the credit risk of a business before shipping or selling, insurance underwriters, bankers and other professionals also use reports.

## Service Notes

**CHING CHUAN KANG**, Taiwan — Staff Sergeant Cecil J. Ams, brother of Mrs. James D. Council, R. F. D. 4, Hickman, Ky., has arrived for duty at Ching Chuan Kang AB, Taiwan.

Sergeant Ams, a food service specialist, is assigned to a unit of the Pacific Air Forces. He previously served at Tan Son Nhut AB, Vietnam.

The sergeant, a 1950 graduate of Western High School, served during the Korean War.

## AUSTIN SPRINGS

By Mrs. Carey Fields

Rev. Bobby Copeland filled his regular appointment at New Salem Baptist Church the past Sunday at 11 a. m. and also at the evening service, following B. T. U. which meets at 5:30 p. m.

James McClure, Sr., is doing nicely at his home in Dukedom, after having undergone major surgery three weeks ago in the Baptist Hospital in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell Farmer, of St. Louis, spent the past week end here with their sister, Mrs. Grover True, and Mr. True. Other visitors in the True home Sunday were: Mrs. Inez Vincent, her daughter, Mrs. Nolan Yates and children, of Pilot Oak; Mrs. Elizabeth Darnell of Dukedom; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rickman and Rev. and Mrs. Dallas Hemphill of Union City. This was quite an enjoyable day for those present.

News reached relatives here of the death of Mack Bynum of Akron. Altho Mr. Bynum had been in declining health for some time, death came peacefully and he was found dead by members of his family. The deceased was a veteran of World War I and made his home in Akron for many years. He was the son of the late Bill and Mary Jane Bynum and a former resident of this area. He is survived by his companion, two daughters, one son, grandchildren, a sister and many nieces and nephews, also a host of relatives who mourn his sudden demise. Funeral services and burial were in Akron.

Miss Elizabeth Olive Mathis is a patient in Hillview Hospital suffering from a siege of congestion. We hope she will respond quickly and soon be home. Friends, send get-well wishes to this young lady, who is a senior at Cuba High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lassiter and sons, Mark, Stevie and Barry, of Martin, were Sunday night dinner guests of parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buton Lassiter.

Bro. Dennis Grutchfield filled his appointment at Knob Creek Church of Christ the past Sunday at 11 a. m. He also conducts the services on Sunday night.

It will soon be a homecoming for the family of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hammett, on Hollow Rock-Vale Road, and that comes up on June 23. It's Vacation leave for their son, T. Sgt. Wm. Roy Hammett of the Blytheville, Ark. Air Force Base. He recently returned for a six month tour of duty in Guam. The planned get-together will be enjoyed by all. Mrs. Hammett is the sister of your writer.

## SOYBEANS

According to the latest research information — the flowering of soybeans is affected by night length. Therefore, to prevent flowering too early, soybeans should not be planted until day length is at least 14½ hours. Day length usually reaches 14½ hours about April 28. Recommended planting dates are May 1 to June 15. Research reveals the optimum planting dates are May 1 to May 15.

To spread harvesting date, it is better to plant soybean varieties of different maturity dates than to have several planting dates of a variety. Thirty days difference in planting date of Lee Variety will usually delay maturity only 3 to 8 days.

## PROVOKING

When politicians agree, the angels may rejoice but the voters just wonder what's cooking. —Globe, Boston

## COFFEE CUP CHATTER

What sort of fabric will tomorrow's consumer be wearing and buying? According to the U. S. D. A. scientists, there will be more and better knits and highly wrinkle resistant cottons and more and better flame retarded textiles, especially in sleepwear for babies, the aged and disabled.

—Catherine C. Thompson

Teflon is sure to rank as one of the most important wife-saving discoveries of the 60's, since this magic coating on pans allows non-stick cooking and cleaning washing with a swish through hot suds. The newest item on the Teflon team is a roast rack which fits into a small pan or can be adjusted to hold up to a 25-lb. turkey. At dish-washing time, just wipe all of its rods with a suds-soaked sponge. After rinsing and drying, this handy rack folds flat for storage.

—Mrs. Barletta Wraether

To pick up an article from the floor gracefully try these points. Bend both knees forward as you go down. Maintain your balance with knees together and your weight on the balls of your feet. Then reach down to pick up the article, straighten up, then come up the same way.

—Mrs. Maxine Griffin

**Tip for the ones who carve the families' meat:** For meat to be more tender to eat, always slice across the grain of the meat, in order to break the muscle fibers into smaller pieces. You can sure chew it easier.

—Miss Patricia Everett

The Greeks discovered that the most pleasing rectangles were those in which the length could not be evenly divided by the width: two to three, three to five, five to eight, and eight to thirteen, etc. This can be applied in many ways to determine the most pleasing dimension of objects.

—Mrs. Juanita Amoneit

Leading educators recommend introducing children to books very early in life. When selecting them for babies and tots, be sure that such useful "Toys" are washable. Sturdily made cloth books may be machine washed with a gentle cycle, or may be dipped in a pan of soap or detergent suds. The plastic variety of books are easy to wipe clean with a sudsy sponge.

—Mrs. Dean Roper

**WHAT ARE THE STEPS IN THE USE OF THE FAMILY INCOME?** —(1) What are the family goals and wishes? Things you need and want now and in the future. (2) The family will need to know how much income they have to spend. (3) What are the family's fixed expenses? These are expenses that usually are the same each month.

(4) What are the family expense items that usually vary each month such as clothing, home furnishings, etc. (5) What are the family expense that occur every month such as groceries, laundry, etc. (6) Personal allowances—when planning, the family may have to stop and refigure. It takes skill and practice to develop a good spending plan but we learn by doing. Remember that an effective budget or spending plan does not account for every penny. It simply means deciding in advance how your income will be spent. Families need to know where their dollars go and to see if they are going where they want them to go.

—Miss Irma Hamilton

A good house plan provides more actual living space, as well as more visual space, than a poor one. The use and selection of furniture in an existing house can contribute to the feeling of space. Furniture that is harmonious in scale to the size of the house will serve its intended function without bulkiness. Materials, such as glass, steel, plywood and plastic create a light, airy feeling within a room. Fewer pieces of well chosen furniture in a room also promote a feeling of space.

—Mrs. Mildred Potts

## 4-H Spring Rally Set For June 12th

Fulton County 4-H Club members will hold their 4-H Club Spring Rally, Thursday, June 12th, from 10:00 to 12:00 noon at the Hickman Elementary School. The committee has planned the following activities and contests:

4-H Club Demonstration and Speech Contest and 4-H Club Style Revue.

All 4-H Club members are urged to plan to take part in one or more contests. If any member's leader needs information or literature to help with any project, it may be obtained by calling the County Extension Office.

The 4-H Club committee who planned this 4-H Club Rally was composed of Mrs. Roy M. Taylor, Chairman, Mrs. Blanche Mose, Mrs. W. G. Adams, Mrs. Dea Roper, Area Extension Agent, Youth, Mrs. Catherine Thompson, Area Extension Agent in Clothing, and John B. Watts, Area Extension Agent in Agronomy.

## MAIL TOO SLOW

Secaucus, N. J. — To prove a point, the Chamber of Commerce sent a horse and rider through town carrying mail. A spokesman said it sometimes takes a letter four days to get across town (population 13,000). The rider carried newsletters since the law forbids him to carry first-class mail.

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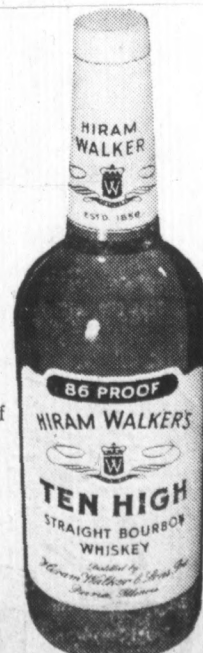
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## WPSD-TV's Tom Butler Receives Farm Bureau Broadcasters Award

Tom Butler, news and farm director of WPSD-TV, Paducah, today received the 1969 Kentucky Farm Bureau Federation communications award to a state broadcaster.

Butler's selection for the award was announced during a session of the Kentucky Broadcasters Association, where he received an engraved plaque. In November, he will receive a \$100 cash award during the annual Kentucky Farm Bureau convention.

The Farm Bureau communications award is presently annually—the 10th consecutive year the award has been made—to a broadcaster who has made an outstanding contribution to the improvement of farm-city relations during the year.

Butler's work in the area of building farm-city relations is well known in the WPSD-TV viewing area, which includes western Kentucky and areas of Illinois, Missouri and Tennessee.

In his capacity as news and farm director of WPSD-TV, Butler has weaved agriculturally-related news and features into the total program content in a manner which demonstrates his recognition of the need for achieving better understanding among urban and rural citizens.

He conducts a regular weekly program, "Atop the Fence Post," during which he works closely with all segments of the agricultural industry and develops topics of both specific and general interest.

In addition, time is given daily to market reports from major livestock, grain and poultry centers, and Butler incorporates important farm news in his daily news reports.

Butler, 31, is a native of Martin,

Tenn., and graduated from Union University in Jackson, Tenn.

He began his broadcasting career in high school, reporting play-by-play on football and basketball games.

When he was 18, he joined the staff of Radio Station WTJS in Jackson, and remained there until 1962 when he became a newsman-announcer for WPSD-TV. He was named news and farm director of WPSD in 1965.

Butler is married and has two children, and is choir director of the East Baptist Church.

### PIERCE STATION By Mrs. Charles Lowe

The Pierce Station correspondent, Mrs. Amy Lowe, is a patient in Western Baptist Hospital at Paducah. Mrs. Lowe fell and fractured her leg Sunday morning and had surgery Tuesday. All of us here in Pierce wish her a speedy recovery and hope she will soon be back home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Raymond and Don have been here on a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hefflin were in Effingham and Detroit last week.

Mrs. Virginia Hay and Miss Ruby Giffin visited Mrs. Maude Williams Tuesday.

Mrs. Ed Hay and Mrs. Virginia Hay visited Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Parker Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Adams visited with Mrs. Amy Lowe Friday.

Congratulations to our South Fulton High School graduates, Paula Long, Bobby Polsgrove and Steve Parnell. We wish them much success.

We extend sympathy to Ishum Conner and family. His sister, Ida Johnson, passed away last week.



Second place winner in the sheep dressing-contest at the annual spring "Round-up," sponsored by the Agriculture Club at The University of Tennessee at Martin, was the Chi Omega Sorority. Pictured with their winning entry, are (l. to r.) Chris McKinney of South Fulton, Bubba Carson, and Amy Harrison.



### Down on the Farm

With JIM PRYOR

Agricultural Agent, Illinois Central Railroad

#### PLAN FOR SOME EMERGENCY PASTURE

Reports from over our area, indicate a need for additional pasture for livestock. Despite the fact that we have had some rains, there still is need for more, as far as pastures are concerned. The same thing has happened again this year, as usually occurs. Farmers become optimistic about their pasture inventory, and most usually find themselves with more livestock than their pastures will safely carry. In case you find yourself in this position, here are some suggestions.

Today, we have a number of good, fast growing plants that will produce an abundance of pasture when planted at this season of the year. Too, they have good ability to recover when eaten down by livestock. They can be given an additional shot of nitrogen and be back ready to be grazed within a short time.

Hybrid sorghums seem to be doing the best job when planted for emergency pastures. Some have been on the market long enough to have proven themselves. Today some of them are widely used.

There are also strains of millet that are very good; some much better than others. Although cattle do not like millet as well as hybrid sorghums or sudan, they will eat it when confined. The variety known as Star is one of the best millets known today.

Cattle like Sweet Sudan as well or better than any of our fast grain pasture crops. It has a good recovery when well fertilized, although it is subject to some of the leaf diseases that make it a little less desirable than the millets and hybrid sorghums. It is still a favorite among many farmers, and is one that can be depended upon.

But—the real important thing is that it is good to have emergency pastures when needed. Heavy fertilization of the soil prior to planting; proper land preparation, and plenty of seed will insure a successful summer pasture for those who need some extra pasture. Of course, it is almost a necessity for dairymen. Several plantings staggered over a period of time is recommended for those who will need additional pasture throughout the summer. Such land when planted to summer pasture, is ideal for seeding to permanent pasture in the fall.

#### GOOD REASON

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#### FARMERS BUSY

All Obion County farmers worked long hours last week with every farmer rushing to get seed corn in the ground. Only a small amount of corn was up to a stand last week but thousands of acres of corn have been planted and cotton planting has started in a big way. Someone said last week that you had better drive on the right side of the road for the next few days—the reason being if you see a pickup truck coming in your direction, you know some farmers equipment has broke down, ran out of seed and fertilizer, or something else is wrong and the

farmers is in a hurry.

Almost the only item that farmers buy in which they get a decent break is fertilizer. With nitrogen fertilizer being much cheaper this year, we find more and more corn farmers using the proper amount of nitrogen fertilizer.

#### FEEDER PRICES REMAIN GOOD

Feeder calf prices that Obion County Farmers have been receiving this spring are higher than feeder calf prices have been in over 10 years. Mr. Homer Isbell of the Crystal Community was showing me with pride a check he received for 6 feeder calves weighing about 625 pounds that he sold about two weeks ago. Mr. Isbell said that it was the first time he had ever sold calves off the cow for more

than \$200 per calf. When I told Mr. Knox Daniels about this, Mr. Daniels told me about selling 45 calves about two weeks ago and he received 35.90 per cwt. for the steer calves, which was the highest price he had ever received for any calves. Also Mr. Daniels told me his experiences of paying that much for feeder calves and after feeding them out selling them for a whole lot less.

#### FOLLOW DIRECTIONS

As planting time is on us again, we would like to remind you to be sure and follow label directions carefully on all chemicals used. The more we use chemicals, the more we are likely to avoid reading this important label information. Of course, this is when we tend to make some mistake that could be very costly.

Not only should you check label information on your herbicidal chemicals but also insecticides, fungicides and all other chemicals. If any of these chemicals have directions stipulating a given time between last application and harvest, in most cases such a time is dictated by the chemical residue these chemicals leave in or on the plant and this can be checked. So, just a word of caution not to get in too big a hurry and fail to read the label directions and follow these directions.

#### FARM DATES TO REMEMBER

May 14 - Feeder Pig Sale - Brownsville.

May 15 - Feeder Pig Sale - Dresden.

May 20 - Feeder Pig Sale - Lexington.

Westinghouse tests new picture-phone sets.

## Ministers To Focus Attention On Conservation

Soil Stewardship Week, a nationwide observance which places emphasis on man's obligation to God as Stewards of the soil, water and other related resources will be celebrated locally, May 11-18, according to Charles E. Wright, Chairman, Fulton County Soil and Water Conservation District.

This year's observance with the theme "Confronting the Issues", underscores the responsibility which each citizen has in dealing forthrightly with issues involving stewardship of renewable natural resources. The Fulton County Soil and Water Conservation District and some 3000 companion Districts throughout the nation along with their State and National Association are sponsoring the event for the 15th consecutive year.

There will be fifteen minute programs concerning Soil Stewardship daily on WFUL Radio Station during the week of May 12-16, at 12:35 p. m. Ministers participating in these program are: Rev. James Lawson, Presbyterian Church, Fulton, Ky., Rev. W. W. Kitterman, Cumberland Presbyterian Church, Fulton, Ky., Rev. John M. Statham, Davis Chapel, Hickman, Ky., Rev. Ellis Veale, First Christian Church, Fulton, Ky., Rev. Raymond Wright, Harmony Church and Rush Creek Church, Crutched, Ky.

Chairman of the Fulton County Soil and Water Conservation District Stewardship Committee this year is Charles A. Everett of the Cayce Community.

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## LAND FOR SALE

42½ acres of land, more or less, in Hickman County Ky. offered for sale for CASH on sealed bids, to the highest and best bidder; this land was owned by the late R. W. McAlister and given by his will to Roy McAlister, his son, now deceased, from whom the present owners inherited it; the land lies in the northwest quarter of Section 9 T 1 R 2 W.

Conveyance to be by General Warranty Deed from the heirs of Roy McAlister with possession immediate, and the ASC payment and 1969 taxes to be prorated. Bidders should enclose check for 10% of their offer with their bid and mail or deliver same sealed to N. D. Montgomery, Clinton, Ky. 42031 - marking the enclosing envelope "McAlister Bid."

Bids will be opened in the office of N. D. Montgomery on Tuesday, May 27th., 1969 at 9 o'clock A. M.; Owners reserve the right to reject any or all bids.

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## "Awake" Issues Paducah Center Distributed In Local Homes Plans Training For Handicapped

It was announced today by Raymond Clark that an extensive effort has been made by the Fulton Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses to leave in every home in Fulton and South Fulton a special issue of "Awake!" entitled "Are The Churches Nearing Their End?"

Mr. Clark said, "A great number of people were not home, so an issue was left as a gift. We take this opportunity to invite the people of the area to read their copy and use discernment. Many people are wondering about this very question in view of religion losing its influence over the people. However, Jehovah's witnesses would like for people to know more specifically why the churches are nearing their end from God's viewpoint. This is stated very clearly in the "Awake!" we left as a gift." Mr. Clark invited any who have questions to "contact me or any of Jehovah's witnesses."

When Mr. Clark was asked if he felt that Jehovah's witnesses were nearing their end, he stated, "No. While other organizations are decreasing in attendance and morals, we are increasing in attendance and quality. We are taking a message of salvation and a message of warning to 200 lands in fulfillment of Matthew 24:14. To help people break free from religious traditions as encouraged in Matthew 15:8, 9 and learn Bible truths we are offering around the earth a six-month Bible study course. This is offered free, at a time of convenience, to anyone interested so they can make a wise decision as to their future life course."

### LETTERS TO EDITOR— (Continued From Page Two)

Please let me know about the pictures if they turn out OK. I'd really like to send some home. Or maybe I'll just stop by the next time I'm in town.

Tell Mary Jo hi for me. Hope to see you soon. And thanks for sending the paper.

Love,  
Dana

### LIBRARY CORNER— (Continued From Page Two)

when the United States' new experimental Sub-Orbital Transport failed to land as scheduled at the Paris Air Show. But for fifteen-year-old Stan Dorman, the news had special and terrible significance: his parents were aboard the plane.

A RACECOURSE FOR ANDY, by Patricia Wrightson. It used to be Andy that everyone wanted to play with, but gradually Andy had dropped behind the others. It was as if a window had closed on him, so that he heard and spoke through a pane of glass. Now he went to a separate school, and the boys—and even Andy himself—all knew that he was different.

The others were still his friends, however, and he joined in their play when he could, though there was one favorite game he could never understand. They pretended to own various public buildings and large properties around the city and bought, sold, and swapped them endlessly.

BRAVE HORSE, by Manly Wade Wellman. Brave Horse is the story of the gallant Janus, who was disabled and retired from the English track, yet who lived to challenge William Byrd III's Valiant, the finest racehorse in the colony of Virginia. It is also the story of Nick Forrest, 16-year-old trainer of Janus, whose devotion to his lame stallion made the match race possible.

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A new facility to aid the handicapped was dedicated in Paducah, May 6.

It is a center to provide vocational training for handicapped people to enable them to take jobs in private industry. The Opportunity Workshop, which will begin training programs in June, will be an integral part of the operation of the West Kentucky Easter Seal Center for Handicapped Children and Adults.

"This workshop will fulfill a long-acknowledged need of the 'graduates' of the West Kentucky Center for Handicapped Children," said Ed J. Paxton, Jr., Paducah, dedication speaker.

"Through this workshop, young people having the capacity for learning useful skills can receive training until many of them are prepared for jobs with which they can support themselves. It will be an operation for the salvaging of useful lives," Paxton said.

Vocational training at the workshop will include courses in wood-working, automotive body work, arc and acetylene welding, paint spraying, general housekeeping, domestic and motel maid service, according to Palmer Hughes, administrator of the West Kentucky Center. H. Norman Sullivan, Paducah, has been named director of the workshop.

A grant of \$89,000 from the Bureau of Rehabilitation Services of the state department of education and the department of mental health paid for construction of the building which contains 8100 square feet of space. A \$10,000 contribution from the Charity League of Paducah made it possible for the workshop to receive the grant from the state agencies. Additional funds from the Bureau of Rehabilitation Services is paying for equipment for the workshop.

Other participants in the dedication program were Ben F. Coffman, Frankfort, director of the Bureau of Rehabilitation Services; George E. Beiderwell, president of the board of managers of the West Kentucky Easter Seal Center; Mrs. Charles J. Bohle, president of the Paducah Charity League; Rabbi Max Kaufman, member of the board of managers of the West Kentucky Easter Seal Center, and Gaylord Forrest, administrator of the Regional Mental Health and Mental Retardation Advisory Board.

### CHESTNUT GLADE By Mrs. Harvey Vaughan

The annual Crusade for Funds for the Cancer Drive has almost been completed in this community; however, if any person has been missed that would make a contribution to this most worthy cause, any member of the Chestnut Glade Home Demonstration Club will be glad to take the contribution and forward it to the community chairman, Mrs. Laverne Owensby.

Mrs. Wiley Sims, who had surgery in the Obion County Hospital, is recovering nicely and is spending a few days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Billy Copeland.

Darrell Terrell is improving, after being shut in for the past several days with an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Harry Whitver and daughter, Debbie, from Nashville, spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Eula Rogers, and Darrell.

Mrs. John Colley returned Saturday from Nashville, where she visited her daughter, Carolyn.

Mrs. Ruby Phillips, who has been a patient in Haws Memorial Nursing Home for the past several months, has moved to a nursing home in Alabama, near her son Russell's home.

Mrs. Jess Pate is improving, after being a patient in the Volunteer Hospital and also in the Jackson-Madison County Hospital recently. The Chestnut Glade Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Jeter Wheat for the regular meeting on May 15 at 1:30 p. m. Visitors are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ross, from Detroit, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burette Ross, and relatives at Drewden.

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**NOTEBOOK—**  
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career ahead of him. His mother is a full-time college student in the field of elementary education; his father is assiduously studying accounting and his downstairs grandparents wallow around in printer's ink.

Little Todd has gotten so used to hearing the presses run and the linotype machine purr while it spews out lines of type that he just dozes off in relaxing comfort almost as soon as he is carried in the door.

**History Repeating!**

My sister Mary Gregg of Clarksdale, Miss. has been our very welcome houseguest for the past three weeks. She loves to cook and see people eat bountiful meals more than anybody I ever saw in my life.

Well, Mary was also here when I went to Florida in February and little Todd was scarcely two weeks old. She thought he needed some flesh on his little bones and she started giving him solid foods long before Mrs. Dan Gerber would ever suggest. And so, Todd is like a butter-ball now.

The same thing happened when R. Paul was a wee tot of a boy. Mary fed that boy so well he had to wear chubby clothes before he got into the first grade, and the poor kid has had trouble getting rid of the excess flesh ever since.

If there is a Valhalla for gourmets in this life hereafter, Mary is going to be chairman of the board, that is if there is a super-market in the area as big as Madison Square Garden and she has both a Master Charge and BankAmericard plate with unlimited credit.

**Clothes Bank Overdrawn!**

I am convinced that the most dedicated people in this town serve on the board of the Fulton-Obion Counties Clothes Bank. The minutes of their meetings never report a surplus; they constantly face a deficit of money, clothing and other materials, but they just go right on hoping that things will get better.

And they ought to! They must!

Right now everybody is Spring cleaning closets and putting away early Spring and winter clothing. Take just a little extra time to bundle up some of the garments you won't be wearing again and take them to the Clothes Bank.

And if you don't have any clothing to give, why not send them a couple of dollars now and then. Children's clothing is always in short supply. People who do not have an excess of children's clothing

can certainly do their share by sending cash. Today I am going to send them a check . . . by the time it gets in the mail I'll never know it's gone. Why don't you do the same? Please, won't you?

**On To Puerto Rico**

Bud and Nancy Halterman are winging their way down to the sunny clime of Puerto Rico this week for a super-duper vacation of fun and sun.

The last time this popular couple took time off, their very interesting brood was in the good hands of Nancy's mother, Mrs. E. W. James.

I called the Halterman home for a little news story about the vacationers and chatted awhile with Mrs. James, whereupon I asked: "How many children do the Haltermans have?"

Whereupon she answered: "Five!"

"Oh really," sez I, "I thought they had four." "That's right they do Jo, but they're making so much racket, and there are so many kids in and out of here I can't tell who belongs here and who doesn't."

God love you, Mrs. James. I'll bet you enjoy every living, breathing minute of the time you spend there.

**Whatta Meal . . . \$500**

I have received a few rather exclusive invitations in my life-time with deep appreciation for being remembered.

But none surpasses the giant compliment paid to me recently when I received an engraved invitation to attend a small dinner honoring Senator Edward Kennedy who will be the principal speaker at the annual Jefferson-Jackson Day dinner in Louisville on Saturday.

I got all kinds of exciting sensations as I read the invitations . . . until I got to the very last line. Then the tingling turned to cold chills.

Right there, in beautifully engraved Italian script, it said: "\$500 per couple."

I sure did R. S. V. P. in a hurry . . . "Regret Senator, Vacant Purse!"

**Lois Combs To Wed**

We're planning however to go to the Senator's press conference and eat a hot dog afterwards, for maybe \$25, the plebian's price. Of greater interest to me for the week-end is to attend the wedding and reception of Lois Combs, a wonderful and dear young lady who is the daughter of Federal Judge and former Governor Bert T. Combs and Mrs. Combs.

The wedding will be at Lexington on Sunday.

I have made so many, many plans to attend interesting events here lately, and then have to cancel them at the last minute, that I can't say for sure I'll be heading that way this week-end.

Last week-end, my best laid plans to attend a Derby Brunch at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hensley went for naught. Bob, who serves with me as co-chairman of the Kentucky Partners of the Alliance was entertaining many old friends from Ecuador. Among them was former Ambassador Jose Corriere, who attended the second International Banana Festival when the Hon. Averell Harri-man was an honored guest here.

# If You Think Public Office Will Make A Man Dishonest Read This Message

During my campaign for Sheriff of Fulton County I have met and visited with many wonderful people, with new and old friends, whose kindnesses and consideration to me will always be warmly remembered.

Unfortunately, I have found that too many people have a deep distrust of candidates and politics. Many have talked frankly about the ugly change that comes over a person once that individual is elected.

I am a young man, the husband of a wonderful woman and the father of two children.

Their respect for me and the respect I enjoy from my friends and neighbors means more to me than any honor or public office I could ever receive.

TODAY, I am a conscientious and honest man.

TOMORROW, I will be a conscientious and honest man.

IF I AM ELECTED YOUR SHERIFF, I will be a conscientious and honest man.

If ever I break this promise to you, I want you to ask for my resignation.

I AM NOT The Candidate of Any Special Interests Group.

I AM NOT The Candidate of Any Political Faction.

I AM Financing My Own Campaign.

I AM NOT Running For Sheriff Because I Need A Job.

I WANT TO BE SHERIFF BECAUSE I think our people need a good, wholesome environment in which to live, fully protected from lawless elements.

I WILL FIGHT WITH MY EVERY ENERGY, the sale of alcoholic beverages to minors.

I WILL WORK WHOLEHEARTEDLY with all religious and civic groups to establish youth centers for recreation for our young people.

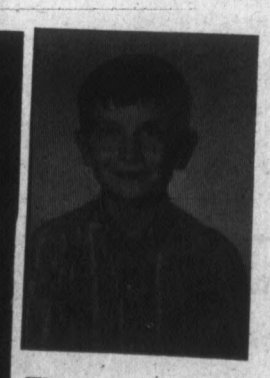
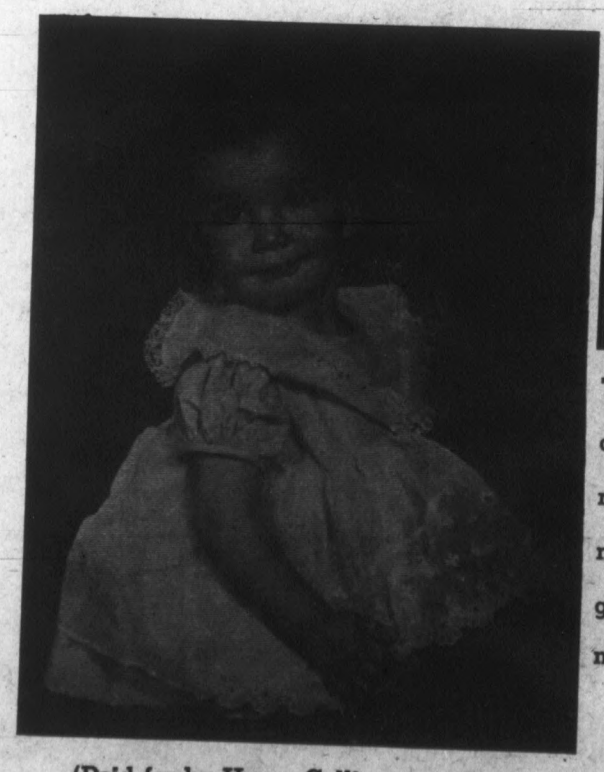
I WILL SEE THAT every call to the sheriff's office, at ANY TIME of the DAY or NIGHT, is answered promptly and with efficiency.

If you will trust me to fulfill these promises, I earnestly ask for your support and influence in my campaign for sheriff.

But before you vote for your next Fulton County Sheriff, remember that HENRY "DOBBER" CALLISON has just as much at stake in the obligation for a CLEAN, MORAL CLIMATE in this community as you do.

-- VOTE FOR --

## HENRY "DOBBER" CALLISON FOR Fulton County Sheriff



These are my two children. They are reason enough for me to always be a good and decent man.

(Paid for by Henry Callison, serving as his own treasurer)

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